



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Date: July 1, 2005

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**RESPONSE
TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This Response is submitted in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment, dated June 20, 2005 (the “NNCA”), received in connection with the above-identified application. The NNCA sets a period of response of one (1) month, expiring July 20, 2005.

The NNCA indicates that claims 3 and 57 contain “improper status identifiers”. By the following substitute “amendment to the claims” section, Applicant conforms the “status identifiers” on claims 3 and 57 (as were shown in Applicant’s June 3 Amendment) from “PREVIOUSLY AMENDED” to “PREVIOUSLY PRESENTED”. For the avoidance of doubt, the following is to be viewed in light of Applicant’s Remarks (to wit: pages 17 thru 33 of Applicant’s June 3 Amendment, incorporated herein by reference).

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